



Barningham CEVC
Primary School

Newsletter



No.7 Autumn 2024

Anti-Bullying Week

Next week is Anti-Bullying Week and the theme this year is 'choose respect'. The children will be learning about what bullying is and what they can do if they have concerns for themselves or their friends in or out of school. Children will also learn about cyberbullying and online safety, especially in the older year groups. The children will work together to create a school display around 'choose respect' and what this means for them and our school. **On Tuesday 12th November, children will be able to come to school wearing odd socks to celebrate Anti-Bullying week.**

Remembrance Day

We will be commemorating the lives of fallen soldiers on Friday this week as Remembrance Day falls on the weekend. Poppies and other accessories for sale now from office. Prices between 50p and £1.

Remembrance Service with Owls

On Monday 11th November at 10.50am, Owl class will be attending the annual Remembrance Service outside St Andrews Church. Parents are invited to join and commemorate the fallen soldiers from Barningham as our children read out their names as part of the service. Children in Owl class will need to be in full school uniform and will need to wear a poppy on their jacket.

Parents' Evening

We are excited to host Parents' Evening next week for all parents to find out about how their child is getting on with their learning in school this year. A link has been sent to parents to book available slots. The admin team will then send out confirmed dates and times to parents. The dates and times are as below:

Wednesday 13th November: Parents' Evening for Rabbits, Squirrels, Badgers & Owls 3.30 – 6pm

Tuesday 19th November: Parents' Evening for Badgers & Owls

Our Core Value
for this half term is



to give

Our Christian value
for this half term is

generosity

**Monday 11th
November**

Owls Remembrance
Service outside St
Andrew's church at
10.50am

Wednesday 13th Nov
Parents Evening for all
classes

Tuesday 11th Nov
Parents' Evening for
Badgers & Owls

To grow in faith, grow in our learning and grow our future world



Thank you to the Royal George

We wanted to thank our local village pub, The Royal George, for all their fundraising during their Quiz Nights. Money raised has been donated to the Friends of Barningham and will go towards our two goals: Updating Library Areas in each classroom and improving and replacing outdoor playground gym trail. We are so incredibly grateful for all their fundraising efforts. You can find out more through our Friends page here: <https://www.facebook.com/share/p/1AUr3Fzg48/>

Road Safety Week

From Monday 18th November, it is Road Safety Week – an opportunity for us to teach children about how to remain safe on the roads around our village. We would like to strongly encourage parents and pupils to cross at the drop-down kerb outside the front of the school, as this gives the safest option, with a clear view down Church Road. The Parish Council have also brought to our attention some concerns around antisocial parking/driving behaviour at drop off/pick up time at the school. If any parents witness dangerous driving behaviours you can report it to the police via this link: <https://www.suffolk.police.uk/ro/report/asb/asb-v3/report-antisocial-behaviour/>

Fortnite Information for Parents

Fortnite was launched back in 2017, but it remains massively popular. Attached to this newsletter is a guide for parents on what to know about Fortnite so that you are kept aware of what to do to keep your child safe online.

A note from the governors

"Welcome back to the second half of the Autumn term, we hope you all had a great holiday. This term is always very busy in school and already the school calendar is full of events to look forward to including Remembrance, Christmas craft morning, Christmas Church Service and the nativity play; it is a time when we see the children fully embrace the traditions that the school have followed for many years, and it is always a heartwarming experience to see the children take part in these activities. As governors, we currently have vacancies for a Parent Governor and a Co-opted Governor, if you are interested in either position, or you would like to know more about the role of the governors in our school, please contact either myself or Headteacher Miss Hunter. Julie Surridge, Chair of Governors. Email: admin@barningham.suffolk.sch.uk"

Key Dates for your diary

Monday 11th November – Friday 15th November: Anti-Bullying Week



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Monday 11th November: Owl class Remembrance Service outside St Andrew's Church 11am

Tuesday 12th November: Odd Socks Day for Anti-Bullying Week

Wednesday 13th November: Parents' Evening for Rabbits, Squirrels, Badgers & Owls 3.30 – 6pm

Thursday 14th November: School Photographer individuals and siblings (please note change of date)

Friday 15th November: Children In Need

Monday 18th – Friday 23rd November: Road Safety Week

Tuesday 19th November: Parents' Evening for Badgers & Owls

Week beginning 25th November: Test & Assessment Week

Saturday 30th November: Christmas Fayre 1pm – 3pm

Friday 13th December: Christmas Craft Morning (parents invited to attend) 9am – 11am

Monday 16th December: Owl class visiting Martineaus for biscuit decorating and games

Tuesday 17th December: Rabbit & Squirrel Nativity performance to parents with young siblings 9.15

Wednesday 18th December: Rabbit & Squirrel Nativity performance to parents at 9.15

Thursday 19th December: Christmas Service & Christingle at St Andrew's Church 9.15am

Thursday 19th December: Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch

Friday 20th December: Last day of Autumn term

House Points

Points this week:

Nightingale House: 230

Attenborough House: 251

Einstein House: 442

Total Points so far

Nightingale House: 1376

Attenborough House: 1252

Einstein House: 1563

Attendance Race

This Week:

1st Place: Badger Class

2nd Place: Rabbit & Squirrel Class

3rd Place: Owl Class

Total points so far this half term:

Rabbits & Squirrels: 18 points

Badgers: 18 points

Owls: 12 points

Clubs and Extended Day Provision

We run a great **Breakfast Club**, which opens at 7.45 every morning and costs just £5 per session, payable when you drop off please or via the SchoolMoney app.

We run an **After School Club** which is open for five nights a week until 5pm and it is £7 a session. We mix this with sports clubs to keep children active! Please book in advance via the link emailed from Premier.



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Website, Twitter & Tapestry

We have lots of ways to keep parents up to date with information about what is happening in school. Whilst we await all the parent forms giving permissions for various platforms, some of these may not yet be updated. You can find out more in the following ways:

Website: www.barningham.suffolk.sch.uk

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/BarninghamCEVCP> (more recently changed to 'X')

You can follow us on **@BarninghamCEVCP**. If you can 'like' or 'retweet' our tweets, it helps to get the school some positive attention.

Our Class Pages can be found here:

@BCEVCPowls <https://mobile.twitter.com/BCEVCPowls>

@BCEVCPBadgers <https://mobile.twitter.com/bcevcpbadgers>

@BCEVCPsquirrels <https://mobile.twitter.com/BCEVCPsquirrels>

@BCEVCPRabbits <https://mobile.twitter.com/bcevcp rabbits>

Tapestry: This is for Reception & Nursery parents only.